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1. WE WOULD NOT FAVOR MAKING PROTEST TO THE SWISS OVER THE FEBRUARY 7 PRG PRESS CONFERENCE IN GENEVA. GOS HAS MADE CLEAR TO US THAT IT CONSIDERS THAT UN HAS PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY FOR KEEPING THE PRG IN LINE (REF B). WE THINK IT ADVISABLE FOR GVN TO MAKE INITIAL APPROACHES TO SWISS ON THIS MATTER, AND THAT OUR OWN INTERVENTION BE RESERVED FOR FLAGRANT, MOST SERIOUS VIOLATION OF THE RULES OF CONDUCT BY THE PRG. IN SUCH EVENT WE CAN HOPE TO ELICIT HELPFUL RESPONSE FROM SWISS, BUT WE STRONGLY DOUBT THIS TO BE THE CASE NOW.

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